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Reds Capture Fastov

Main Rly. Connecting Line Cut

MOSCOW, Nov. 7.

MARSHAL STALIN, IN AN ORDER OF THE DAY, TO-NIGHT ANNOUNCED THE CAPTURE OF FASTOV.

The order which was addressed to Gen. Vatutin says: "To-day the forces of the first Ukrainian front as a result of a determined tank attack by Lt.-Gen. Rybalko captured the town of Fastov, a large railway junction and important centre of German resistance in the south-westerly direction. Thus the main railway line linking the German Kiev group with the Krivoi Rog group has been cut."

REDS LAND NEAR KERCH

LONDON, Nov. 6.

It is officially announced that the Russians have landed north-east and south of Kerch.

VASILKOV CAPTURED

MOSCOW: Tonight's (Saturday) Soviet communique says: "Troops of the first Ukrainian front as a result of swift offensive manoeuvre and by means of an outflanking operation routed the opposing German forces and at dawn captured the capital of the Ukraine, the town of Kiev. The enemy suffered very heavy losses in both men and equipment.

Continuing their successful offensive, forces of the First Ukrainian front advanced and captured the town of Vasilkov and over 60 other inhabited localities.—Reuter

Sarojini Naidu Greets Russia On Anniversary Of Revolution

MADRAS, Nov. 7.

On the occasion of the 26th anniversary of the Russian Revolution, Mrs. Sarojini Naidu, member, Congress Working Committee, has sent a message to the special number of the "Peoples' War" the Communist journal in the course of which she says:—

'The great leaders of India are still in prison and cannot greet you. Oh valiant people! The high privilege, therefore, devolves on me to send you in the name of India, a message of goodwill and gratitude on the 26th anniversary of that memorable day of travail and triumph that witnessed the birth of new Russia.

To India, as to other countries in the throes of struggle to attain national independence, your unrivalled example is a radiant beacon of inspiration. We salute you, oh, people of Russia, and offer you the homage of our love and praise."—A.P.

SAROJINI NAIDU

HYDERABAD (Dn.), Nov. 7: Mrs. Sarojini Naidu has been warned by her physician that any undue physical strain at this juncture is likely to retard her recovery which is still far from complete.

She will not, therefore, be able to keep any provisional engagements she may have made for the near future, nor undertake any new ones for sometime to come.—United Press.

STALIN SETS FIVE TASKS FOR ALLIES

LONDON, Nov. 6.

Moscow Radio to-night began broadcasting a speech which Marshal Stalin was making at that moment to the Moscow Soviet on the anniversary of the Russian revolution.

Five Tasks For Allies

Marshal Stalin stressed five tasks facing the Allies.

(1) To liberate the peoples of Europe from the yoke of Hitlerism.

(2) To give the liberated peoples the right and freedom to organise their state life in accordance with their own wishes.

(3) Heavy punishment to be meted out on those responsible for crimes and atrocities.

(4) The establishment in Europe of an order which would exclude the possibility of new German aggression.

(5) The establishment of durable co-operation of peoples for the restoration of the areas which have suffered under the German Fascist yoke. The Red Army and the Soviet people have achieved great successes but this does not mean that they can repose on their laurels for the final victory will not be achieved easily and will yet demand hard fighting.

VICTORY BROUGHT NEARER

Victory of the Allies over their common enemy has been brought nearer. Relations between the Allies and their comradeship in arms have contrary to the enemy's expectations far from being weakened been strengthened. An eloquent testimony to this is to be found in the historic decisions of the Moscow Conference of representatives of the Soviet Union, Great Britain and the United States which were recently made public. The United Nations are full of determination to deal the last blows to the enemy which will lead to the final victory. This year, the blows dealt by the Red Army at the German Fascist troops were supported by the military operations of our Allies in North Africa, in the Mediterranean and in Southern Italy. At the same time, the Allies have subjected and are still subjecting important industrial centres of Germany to large scale air bombing thus substantially weakening the military might of the enemy

DAY OF RECKONING APPROACHING

Victory does not come of its own. It only comes fighting. Victory is now near but to win it a great concentration of force is necessary—self-sacrificing work in the rear and skilful and determined action by the Red Army at the front. All these achievemenes will be as nothing to the Soviet peoples temporarily under the Fascist yoke or to the peoples of Europe groaning under the German yoke if we do not take advantage of all possibilities for speeding up the enemy's rout. The enemy must be given no respite. That is why we must strain all our forces to strike a death blow at the enemy. It is now clear that the day of reckoning is approaching. The war has reached a stage when we can foresee the complete explusion of the invaders from our land. Time is approaching when White Russia and the Ukraine will be cleared of the enemy and also the Crimea, Latvia, Estonia, Lithuania and Moldavia will be free."—Reuter.

Advance By 5th And 8th Armies Continues

More Towns Captured: Germans Falling Back Swiftly From Garigliano

FROM REUTER'S SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT AT THE ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, NOVEMBER 7.

THE EIGHTH ARMY YESTERDAY CAPTURED SEVEN TOWNS ALTOGETHER. MONTEODORISO, FURCII, CELENZA, BAGNOLI, AS WELL AS THE THREE MENTIONED IN THE COMMUNIQUE.

THE FIFTH ARMY CAPTURED GALLACEIO THREE MILES SOUTH OF MAGNANO, ON THE LEFT FLANK ADVANCES UP TO THREE AND A HALF MILES WERE MADE.

The British Eighth Army are approaching the river Sinella after beating off heavy German armoured counter-attacks. Nine divisions are now opposing the Allies. The 94th German infantry division had been thrown in against the Fifth Army.

LONDON, Nov. 7: The Algiers radio (United Nations) said today: "The Eighth Army advanced 6 miles all along their 18-mile eastern front yesterday. The Germans are falling back swiftly from the Garigliano. They are at a great disadvantage along the Garigliano because the main lateral road runs close to the river."

Heights Around Mignano Occupied

LONDON: The Algiers Radio American commentator says, "Mignano has been by-passed by American troops. All heights around Mignano have been occupied.

Fifth Army troops are steadily advancing along the Appian way."—Reuter.

GAINS CONSOLIDATED

Allied Headquarters, North Africa, Nov. 7:—The Allied 'communique' states:—

"LAND: Heavy fighting developed on part of the 5th Army front as our advancing troops came up against enemy strong points. The gains made on the 8th Army front were consolidated and further important heights captured. Among the places taken were Cupello, Palmoli and Tufillo. Enemy demolitions and minefields were met on a large scale."

"AIR: Heavy bombers of the north-western African air forces attacked bridges and railway communications at Fitra and North of Orbetello yesterday."

BERLIN, Nov. 7.—To-day's 'communique' says in Southern Italy Allies increased attacks in an attempt to pierce the German positions north of the Volturno.

Reporting on Russia the 'communique' said in the Crimea strong Russian attacks alternated with German counter-attacks and fierce battles developed. In the Kiev area embittered battles developed against attacking Soviet waves. South-west of the town a tank battle is in progress.

ALLIES REFUTE AXIS CHARGE

The Air Headquarters to-day denied any knowledge of the bombing of the Vatican City on Friday night as reported by the Berlin and Rome Radios. The Headquarters said a thorough check-up showed that all Allied night bombers in this area were grounded that night.—Reuter.

Rundstedt Asks Hitler To Resign

INSIDE EUROPE, Nov. 6.

Field Marshal von Rundstedt in a recent letter to Hitler declared that the war was lost as far as it was humanely possible to judge, says a report emanating from the Field Marshal's entourage.

Rundstedt added that it was incomprehensible to him why Hitler did not resign immediately for the Fatherland's sake leaving eventful peace negotiations to people acceptable to the Allies.—Reuter.

Liberation Committee's Protest Against Moscow Decisions

ALGIERS, Nov. 7.

After their meeting to-day (Friday) the French Committee of National Liberation announced that they refused to consider the Moscow decision to set up a Three-Power Advisory Committee in London as binding.

The statement said, it appears to the Committee that the fate of Germany and her Allies cannot be brought to a proper conclusion without the participation of France."

INDEPENDENCE FOR LEBANON

BEIRUT—The French Committee of National Liberation has told the Lebanon Government that it cannot recognise the validity of a unilateral revision by it of the Lebanon Constitution.

The Committee said it hoped that the people of Lebanon understood the basis of this decision which would not prevent France from giving complete independence to Lebanon.

NAHAS INVITES LEBANON

CAIRO:—The Egyptian Premier, Nahas Pasha has sent to the Lebanese Government an invitation to join in the Arab Union talks, it is learned from Beirut. The Lebanese Premier Riad el Solh Bey discussed the subject with his president Bichara el Khoury and it is understood the invitation will be accepted.

The Chief aide-de-camp to King Farouk Omar Fathi Pasha is leaving for Lebanon in a few days carrying a special message from King Farouk to the Lebanese President on the occasion of his election to the Presidency.

By an official decree King Farouk has convened Parliament for November 18.—Reuter.

Mahatma's Letter To Govt.

LAHORE, Nov. 6.

At question time Mr. Maqbool Mahmood, Parliamentary Secretary to the Premier informed the Assembly that the Punjab Government was not consulted by the Central Government regarding Mahatma Gandhi's letter which he wrote to the Home Department, Government of India regarding famine conditions prevailing in the country.—A. P.

VICEROY'S ADDRESS TO ASSEMBLY

(Through A.P. & U.P.)

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6.

The "United Press" learns that His Excellency the Viceroy's message will be read by the President on Monday —the opening day of the Autumn session.

Altogether six adjournment motions have been tabled by the members for discussion, the last being by Mr. T. T. Krishnamachari to discuss the "failure of the Government of India to consult the Legislature in the matter of agreement of the United Nations' relief and rehabilitation administration."

A Bill to amend the Code of the Criminal Procedure will be introduced by the Government to permit complaint of certain matrimonial offences to be made by another person on behalf of a husband when the husband is a member of the forces serving under conditions which preclude him from making complaint in person.

MICROPHONE NEAR SPEAKER'S CHAIR

For the first time in the annals of the Central Assembly a microphone was installed near the Speaker's chair for the use of the President. It may start functioning on the day the autumn session starts.

It is believed that the Viceroy's message which is expected to be read out to-morrow would be read through the microphone.

CONGRESS MEMBERS' DECISION

At a meeting of Congress members of the Central Assembly, numbering about 14, and presided over by Dr. Deshmukh (Bombay) it was decided that in view of the food situation and other developments the members of the Party should attend the Assembly, if and when necessary. The meeting also passed a resolution of condolence at the death of the Deputy Leader, Mr. Satyamurti, and of Mr. Jauhri and decided to meet again on the 15th to elect office-bearers.

LEAGUERS CONFER

A meeting of the Muslim League Party in the Central Legislature was held this evening with Nawabzada Liaquat Ali Khan, Deputy Leader of the Party, in the chair. The meeting decided to place at the disposal of Mr. Jinnah a sum of Rs. 1,000 for Bengal Relief. The meeting adopted a resolution requesting Government to allot time during the session for discussion of the food situation in Bengal and other parts of the country and to issue a White Paper giving full details and the steps they have taken to relieve the distress in the affected areas. The meeting also considered the agenda for the session of the Legislature.

INDEPENDENTS

The Independent Party met this evening with Mr. Hussainbhai Lalji, Leader, in the chair. The Party decided to ask Government to allot sufficient time for discussion of the serious food situation in the country. Mr. Hussainbhai Lalji in a statement to the Press welcomes the decision of the Congress Party to attend the session of the Central Legislature.

NON-CONGRESS DETENUS TO BE RELEASED

KARACHI, Nov. 7.

It is understood that the Government of Sind have under consideration the question of the release of those security prisoners who are classified as having no connection with the Congress movement.

There are said to be about twenty such prisoners in the whole of Sind. A re-examination of their case-records is said to be proceeding. It is also stated that release of two of such prisoners from Hyderabad Jail has been ordered.—A.P.

COMMUNIST ARRESTS

CAWNPORE, Nov. 6.

Following a search yesterday of the offices of the U. P. Provincial and the Cawnpore District Committee of the Communist Party of India, the police took away copies of the Unity Week Manifesto and some other papers from the two places.

Mr. Shafeeq Ahmed Naqui, Secretary of the Provincial Committee, Mr. S. S. Yusuf, Secretary of the District Committee, Mr. S. C. Kapoor, Member of the Provincial Committee, and Mr. P. N. Bhargava, Office Secretary of the District Committee, were taken into custody but were released on furnishing bail bonds of Rs. 250 each.

Two others were arrested while distributing copies of National Unity week manifesto of the Communist Party yesterday.—A. P.

DR. GOPICHAND ON THREE MONTHS' PAROLE

LAHORE, Nov. 7.

Dr. Gopichand Bhargava, former Leader of the Punjab Assembly Congress Party, who was recently transferred from Sialkot to Lahore Central Jail for expert medical treatment, is being released to-day on three months' parole on grounds of health.

UNIVERSITY UNION SECRETARY RELEASED

ALLAHABAD, Nov. 7: Mr. Deva Nand Gaur, Secretary, Allahabad University Union who was detained under Rule 26 of the D.I.R. since October 1942, was released from the Benares Central Prison.—A. P.

GUNTUR BAN

GUNTUR, November 7.

The District Magistrate has banned under the D.I.R. all public processions, meetings and assemblies organised or intended to be addressed by members or sympathisers of the National Youth League and the National Students' Union in the Guntur District.

Accordingly notices have been served on the organisers.—United Press.

Congress M.L.A. On Parole

LAHORE, November 6.

Seth Sudarshan, Chief Whip of the Punjab Assembly Congress Party was released this evening on parole from Central Jail Lahore to enable him to attend on his ailing mother.—A. P.

Rabaul Bombed

2 Jap Cruisers Sunk By Allied Planes

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, SOUTH-WEST PACIFIC, Nov. 7:—Allied planes have sunk two Japanese cruisers, it is officially announced. Eight other cruisers were also hit. 26 Japanese planes were shot down in accompanying air actions. 82 tons of bombs were dropped on Rabaul.—Reuter.

Vatican City Bombed

LONDON, Nov. 6: The Vatican radio on Saturday night read the following official statement which has been published in the "Observatore Romano": "The Vatican City has been hit by bombs. Last night, at 20-30 hours, four bombs were dropped by a plane which flew at low level over the Vatican City.

Bombs fell in a diagonal line running from the Observatory to the Railway station. One bomb fell in the Railway station. Fortunately, there were no casualties. A mosaic workshop received a direct hit and suffered considerable damage.

Considerable damage was also caused to the Governor's Palace. We most deeply deplore this violation of the Vatican City whose neutrality—recognised by all—safeguards the freedom of religion of the world."—Reuter.

STOP PRESS

VATICAN CITY NOT BOMBED BY ALLIES

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, Nov. 7: It is officially announced that a thorough investigation shows that Vatican City was not bombed by the Allies on Friday night.—Reuter.

Army To Assist Govt. In Bengal Famine Relief

C-IN-C EXPLAINS SCOPE OF INDIAN TROOPS' OPERATIONS

(THROUGH A. P. & U. P.)

NEW DELHI, Nov. 7.

General Sir Claude Auchinleck at a press conference gave here details of how the army is helping to cope with the Bengal Famine. His Excellency revealed that several thousand troops were being employed on this work including a number of motorised units but said that the exact figure could not be given for military reasons.

"Troops already in Bengal have started work", he said: "and other troops are on the move, some of them from long distances. Nine hundred tons of food daily have been sent, since they started from Calcutta, to some 20 distribution centres in the Mofussil.

Commencing from yesterday we hope that 2,000 tons of food will be sent daily from Calcutta to the districts. From November 3, 150 tons are being distributed daily to the south from Calcutta in districts most affected, such as Midnapore.

"The military are already unloading food and assisting in distribution. Guards have been posted to prevent pilfering. Lorries used for distribution of food bear posters in Bengali and English "food for the people." I think that is a good idea. It will help to restore confidence."

The C-in-C. stated that the army would be engaged in this work for three months and said that this was a reasonable period in which confidence of the people could be restored. The army would not be responsible for policy or procurement of food but would be there to assist the Bengal Government.

The C.-in-C. explained that there would be in each area military officer parallel to the civil administration. Besides helping to guard food to prevent looting on the way, the troops would help in unloading, guarding food when unloaded and if necessary building temporary accommodation for food. The army would also help considerably in transport as two-thirds of the units he had been able to soare were motorised and could use their own transport to carry grains.

TROOPS' SACRIFICE

He said that the army was feeding its own labour in Bengal, Behar and Orissa, including 50,000 men, women and children in Bengal alone. It also helped by landing transport by road, rail and river. All rice has been stopped from issues to British troops and rice issues to Indian troops had been cut by two-thirds and atta substituted. Though some Indian troops did not like atta, had voluntarily surrendered the remaining third of rice. Local purchases of milk, chickens and vegetables had been drastically reduced so as to conserve local supplies. The troops themselves had also organised the feeding of the people living near camps and barracks out of their rations and scraps left over. They had also subscribed largely to famine funds.

It is understood that a meeting of the Food Committee of the Central Legislature was held in New Delhi under the Chairmanship of Hon. Sir J. P. Srivastava.

Discussions centred round the recommendations of the Foodgrains Committee's report and action taken by the Government of India on them.

MADRAS GRAM FOR BENGAL

It is understood that Madras has surrendered 15,000 tons of gram, as its gram position has improved considerably. Bengal and other areas are likely to benefit by this surrender.

GOOD CROPS IN C. P.

As a result of favourable monsoon, reports indicate, that there will be an excellent 'Kharif' crop in C.P. this year. Wheat and other 'rabi' crops too have been shown under favourable conditions. Deficit areas are likely to benefit from a substantial surplus of rice and juar from C.P.

TEN LAKHS GIVEN FOR RELIEF

CALCUTTA:—The Committee of the Bengal Central Relief Fund, the subscriptions to which now total Rs. 11,05,905 has sanctioned Rs. 10 lakhs for free distribution of clothing and blankets in mofussil areas most seriously affected by the food shortage. More than 1,50,000 pieces of standard cloth and one lakh of cotton blankets have already been purchased. They will be followed by more than one lakh of Hessian blankets which are now under production in the Calcutta jute mills. The Committee has also purchased 200 maunds of powder barley and a substantial quantity of medical supplies.

From the money at his disposal in the Central Cyclone Relief Fund H.E. the Governor has sanctioned the purchase of more than 1,30,000 pieces of standard cloth, 55,000 jute quilts and 2,000 pounds of quinine for free distribution in the cyclone affected areas.

Mr. Shankar Mitra, Secretary, Federation of Indian Students Societies of Great Britain and Ireland, has sent a cable to Dr. Syama Prasad Mookerjee from Swaraj House, London, requesting him to cable the facts of the causes of the famine and his views on the White Paper. The cable adds that the Indian community is extremely anxious.

LAHORE:—At a meeting of various organisations working for Bengal Relief held under the presidency of Raja Narendranath, President of the Provincial Hindu Sabha, United Bengal Relief Board was formed to co-ordinate the efforts of the various organisations.

The meeting was attanded by representatives of the Provincial Muslim League, Communist Party, All-India Women's Conference, Trade Union Congress, Kisan Sabha and others.

It was decided to observe December 4 as Bengal Day when collections will be made by all institutions for Bengal relief.

BANGALORE:—The Mysore Bengal Relief Fund Committee under the Chairmanship of Mr. K. V. Anantaraman, Minister for Law in Mysore, has sanctioned a total of Rs. 15,000 for distribution to the various distress relief organisations in Bengal. Collections to the Mysore Bengal Relief Fund so far amount to about Rs. 20,000.

WORST INDICTMENT OF BRITISH RULE

(From A Special Correspondent.)

LONDON, Nov. 7.

"Never has there been a greater indictment of British rule in India than Mr. Amery's own revelation that the production of foodstuffs per head in India has declined in 30 years by more than a quarter", writes the "Daily Worker" editorially commenting on the famine debate in Parliament.

"What India needs" continues the paper, "is a National Government able to enlist enthusiasm and utilise to full its immense human and material resources. Obstructing this solution stands Mr. Amery. He flatly refuses to release the imprisoned leaders until they change their policy while at the same time using his power over them to prevent them from consulting together to review their policy. Ours is the responsibility. Ours is the duty to see that a new era is opened in our relations with India and Mr Amery is discarded into political oblivion he has richly earned".

UNION GOVT. OFFERS FACILITIES

PRETORIA, Nov. 6: For relief of famine in Bengal the South African Government has made available for purchase by the India Government 500,000 pounds of unsweetened condensed milk, 50,000 pounds of milk powder, 10,000 tons of jam 2,000 tons of sugar and 5,000 tons of maize and rice. Milk powder and condensed milk from the stocks of South African ships chandlers imported from the United States from Canada and other countries are held in bond for supplying ships.—Reuter.

EUROPEANS TO DEMAND 'INQUIRY INTO BENGAL FAMINE

NEW DELHI, Nov. 7.

It is understood the European Group in the Central Legislative Assembly is giving notice of an amendment to the resolution balloted by Pandit Lakshmi Kanta Maitra asking for appointment of a Committee of enquiry into the famine conditions of Bengal—urging appointment of a Royal Commission, or as an alternative, a Judicial Committee consisting of a High Court Judge as chairman (Sir B Rau, if possible) and two assessors, one a representative of the Ministry of Food in the United Kingdom, and the other a person experienced in public health.

The amendment will also demand that the Commission will include special points of enquiry as to:

(A) The accuracy or otherwise of mortality statistics and the effect of the present famine or mortality rates.

(B) The steps to be taken to counteract or mitigate the effects of starvation and malnutrition upon the younger generation and

(C) The measures to be taken to prevent a recurrence of the present trouble.

69 DEATHS IN CALCUTTA ON SATURDAY

CALCUTTA, Nov. 7.—One hundred and thirty-four sick destitutes were admitted to hospitals in Calcutta and the suburbs yesterday. There were 69 deaths of such cases in hospotals and 55 persons were discharged.—A.P.

NEW DELHI, Nov. 6. Mr. N. M. Joshi, M.L.A. has received cable remittance of £550 from Dr. Jain, India Famine Relief Committee Birmingham Branch. He is arranging distribution according to instructions.—A. P.

"Hitavada" Editor May Not Be Prosecuted

NEW DELHI, November 7.

As a result of talks here Mr. A. D. Mani, editor of the "Hitavada", would not, it is believed, be prosecuted for refusing to disclose the source of information in regard to the publication of news about the resignation of Mr. Blair, as ordered by the Government.

It seems the Government will issue a statement on the subject.—United Press.

NEW JOBS FOR AMERY AND GRIGG?

(From Our Correspondent)

LONDON, Nov. 6.

According to the "London Star" forthcoming Cabinet changes will include Sir James Grigg and Mr. L. S. Amery who are likely to be given new posts.

'THOUGHTLESS PURCHASE' CRITICISED

Dr. Mookerji's Warning To Government

CALCUTTA, Nov. 6.

(Delayed): In a statement to the press on relief work in the present food crisis in Bengal, Dr. Syama Prasad Mookerjee says: No solution is possible unless the efforts of Government and people are properly co-ordinated in accordance with a well-regulated policy of relief and reconstruction whose supreme criterion should be the welfare of the sufferers.

He emphasises that destitutes should be sent to receiving centres as near their homes as possible with the ultimate object of sending them to their villages, provision being made at every stage to supply them with food and other requirements. He adds:

"It is regrettable that although according to official figures more than 470,000 tons of foodgrains have come into Bengal from outside on Government account during the last seven months, stocks have not been built and distress has been on the increase."

"The next problem is of pooling all available local resources. Here the Government must change its present policy of thoughtless purchase which more than anything else has been responsible for the grave crisis. If Government wants to purchase it must take simultaneous responsibility for distribution." Dr. Mookerjee warns the Government not to pursue its present policy of purchase so far as the aman crop is concerned. He also dwells on the urgent need for proper medical relief.—A.P.

MR. MEHERALLY'S HEALTH CAUSES ANXIETY

BOMBAY, Sunday.

The condition of Mr. Yusuf Meherally, Ex-Mayor of Bombay, who is lying ill due to heart trouble in the Marina Sanitorium, continues grave. Three new symptoms have developed, headache, delirium and irregular pulse.

Mr. Meherally had an attack this morning. Though the attacks were more in number yesterday, to-day's attack is considered much more serious. Nausea continues but he slept for a few hours.

The best that the doctor-in-charge could say was "the condition to-day cannot be said to be more satisfactory than yesterday."

At 9-30 p.m. Mr. Meherally was given douche. He felt better, then at 12-30 he began sleeping and at 2-30 a.m. on Monday he woke up. Then it was found that the heart-beats and pulse were irregular.

Secrecy of Victory

PRODUCTION OF MICA
India's Importance To Efforts Of United Nations

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—A Far Eastern survey published by the American Council of Institute on Pacific Relations points out that British India is the most important source of mica, acute shortage of which contributed to Germany's defeat in the last war. The survey says: "India is indispensable to the efforts of the United Nations if only for the production of mica necessary to the maintenance of all electrical production, both military and civil". India has "a practical monopoly of production due to the amount and quality of her mica deposits and the abundance of labour".—(Reuter).

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All-India Weather

POONA, November 7.

Following is the weather-chart showing maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall in inches recorded at 9 hours. (I.S.T.) on 3rd November, 1943:—

Allahabad 90 66 0, BOMBAY 93 75 0, Calcutta 89 70 0, Cawnpore 90 59 0, Cuttack 91 74 0, Darjeeling 70 50 0, Delhi 91 56 0, Dehradun 84 55 0, Jacobabad 99 64 0, Karachi 89 69 0, Lahore 95 65 0, Lucknow 90 58 0, Madras 86 73 0, Nagpur 85 69 0, Patna 89 66 0, Peshawar 84 55 0, Shillong 76 52 0.2, Simla 68 51 0.—A. P.

"Swaraj is my birth-right and I will have it".

—TILAK.

The Bombay Chronicle

RUSSIA'S TRIUMPH

Kiev is the third city of the Soviet Union and the largest and most important ever to fall into German hands. It was recaptured by the Russians on the anniversary of the Russian Revolution. The Red Army could not have celebrated the historic day more fittingly. But the twenty-sixth anniversary has a new and peculiar importance not enjoyed by its predecessors. It marks, in a special sense, the world wide triumph—triumph in the worlds both of the Allies and enemies—of what happened on a fateful day twenty-six years ago. Friends of Russia have long been celebrating it; but to-day the Revolution is the recipient of eager tributes by those who till the day before yesterday, if not yesterday, were its sworn opponents. It is also to-day, the object of bitter recognition by those who complacently set out to destroy it in June 1941.

It is not necessary to go over the historical background of the people's revolt against Czarism or the history of that people's victory. It is not also necessary to say that there may be, as there are, differences of opinion as to the relation between ends and certain means in the efforts of the leaders of the Revolution to consolidate and strengthen the regime during the decades of its existence. But it is necessary to emphasise that the greatest social experiment of the modern world was launched and pushed forward to world-acknowledged success in the midst of world antagonism, political, economic and, for a time, even military. For this fact not only makes the achievement of the Revolution more glorious but also vindicates to the fullest extent the essential bases of it. What progress Russia has made for the benefit of its 200 million people is now common knowledge and the envy of the whole world. In twenty-five a backward feudal mass of creatures groaning, destitute and poor, under the heels of a small minority of lords and masters, has changed into a people prosperous, educated, free and equal. The test of the greatness which they have achieved during the short period of a quarter of a century came in June 1941. It demanded the greatest sacrifices and the very highest qualities in human beings. How that demand has been met, and with what cheerfulness, form the proudest chapter in the modern history of freedom-loving humanity. Russia accepted Hitler's challenge to fight a patriotic war for the Fatherland and saved humanity.

This is no exaggeration. Let any one recall the days of Czarist Russia and the situation during the first three years of this war. Were it not that the people of Russia stood as a people conscious and proud of their status and rights and, therefore, ready to die in defence of their new heritage, one shudders even to think what the world would be facing to-day. But the world is not facing it to-day. On the other hand, the world, even though not the whole of it, is looking forward to a better future. And the world is full of eager, eloquent praise for Revolutionary Russia. Russia to-day is wholeheartedly accepted as one of the greatest Powers on earth—as witness the outbursts of enthusiasm over the Moscow Conference—and her leaders are being deluged with congratulations over the victory in 1917 of the common man from the capitalist and Imperialist powers of Europe and America. This is the greatest triumph of a revolution that brought freedom both to the country and its people

A Myth Exposed

We are not a little amused at the report that Lord Strabolgi, the Labour Peer, "startled" the House of Lords when he attempted on Thursday to introduce a Bill to apply the Statute of Westminster to India. Whatever the exact scope of this Statute, the general belief persists that it confers equality of status on the component parts of that euphemism which goes under the name of "British Commonwealth of Nations." Lord Strabolgi thought that that status could be acquired for India without affecting the present structure by having a Bill passed through Parliament. He, perhaps, expected that it would have have a safe passage as it has been advertised 'ad nauseum that India is being treated as a Dominion for all practical purposes. But the Labour Peer acted without counting his host. The Dominion Secretary, Lord Cranborne, felt scandalised and felt certain that "the House would not wish to let this measure go any farther." He could not conceive "how Lord Strabolgi should have chosen this eccentric method of ventilating his subject." Eccentric indeed! It was Lord Strabolgi's mistake if he did not make a distinction between the spoken words and the action of the Government and the spirit behind the Empire. What is most amusing is that ultimately he himself agreed to drop the Bill, and it was negatived without a division. We never attached much importance to such attempts by individual friends of India in the British Parliament, if only because we believe that India's destiny has to be worked out by her own people through their united efforts. But this little "startling" incident has done its bit to expose the British camouflage about Dominion Status for India.

All responsible parties in India have made complete independence their goal. If any of them are prepared to contemplate Dominion Status as an intermediate stage, they will realise from this "startling" incident how far we are even far from that stage. Viscount Cranborne contended that the Bill to affect the Statute of Westminster could only be introduced after consultation with the Dominions and that to seek to amend the Statute of Westminster without such consultation "would be similar to one of a group of partners trying to bring in another partner on his own without consultation with his partners." To-day only consultation with the Dominions is insisted as a condition precedent even to the first step to the consideration of India being added to their list. To-morrow for similar reasons we may be told that India cannot be a Dominion unless and until, not only Britain, but also the "other partners' agree to the change. And every Dominion may be trusted to follow the lead of Britain in demanding various commercial and other "safeguards" before India ceases to be a dependency.

It is difficult to see how all this is consistent with the Cripps offer, the broad principles of which, we are told, still stand. The plainest broad principle of the offer is that after the war India will have the choice between Independence and Dominion Status. This presupposes that consultation with the Dominions has already taken place and that they do not object to the Cripps offer. Why then object even to the first reading of Lord Strabolgi's Bill? Perhaps it is no use taking seriously the assurances about the Cripps offer. The tortuous ways in which such promises and Statutes like that of Westminster have been interpreted by many constitute one of the reasons why India insists upon complete independence, with such relations with other powers as she herself will decide upon, without any dictation from Britain or the Dominions or any other foreign powers.

FRANKLY SPEAKING

Municipal Budget

The budget estimates of the Bombay Municipal Corporation for the year 1944-45, as presented by the Commissioner to the Standing Committee, reveal a large deficit of Rs. 25 lakhs. But as the deficit is proposed to be met out of the opening cash balance of Rs. 36 lakhs no immediat increase in taxation is contemplated. We agree, however that "additional revenue would be required not only for meeting the gap between revenue and expenditure but also for the improvement and expansion of some of the essential services." The expenditure on several vital departments like Public Health and Education has to be appreciably increased to meet the needs of the city. The decision of the Schools Committee to give better salaries to trained teachers is a sound one and should not be rescinded. The same may be said about the decision to abolish the shift system of half-time instruction for the lower classes.

False Economy

It is time, too, that the long standing grievance of the Medical Assistants and Medical Inspectors in the Public Health Department with regard to their salaries is redressed. The Medical Assistants, who must be medical graduates and must pass the Sanitary Inspectors' Examination of the Royal Sanitary Institute, London, are recruited on a scale of pay of Rs. 100-5-200. This is an unreasonable low scale, considering that the Medical Assistants have to undergo a University course of at least seven years after matriculation apart from the training for the Sanitary Inspectors' Examination. It compares badly with the scale of 150-10-250 paid to Engineering Inspectors in the City Engineer's Department and compares worse with the scale of Rs. 200-40/3-400 prescribed for the Bombay Medical Service. The Municipal Medical Assistants are not given free quarters nor are they allowed private practice. It is not surprising, therefore, to learn that several of them have resigned their posts to seek service elsewhere. Such resignations of well-trained and experienced men is a loss to the Department and even those who remain in it cannot but feel depressed at the step-motherly treatment meted out to them. We understand that a representation has already been made in the matter We have no doubt it deserves to be considered most sympathetically. It is false economy to under-pay specially qualified men and cannot but lead to inefficiency. Inefficiency in the Department of Public Health in a terribly congested city like Bombay is a source of danger and must be avoided.

New India History

Your "Wanted Co-operation" in the issue of 3rd November is timely. Out of two schemes, one that of Bharatiya Itihas Parishad had made considerable progress. Unfortunately, the Government some time back thought it wise to put Pandit Jaychandra Vidyalankar, the General Secretary of the Parishad, behind the bars. Naturally his arrest brought the activities of the Parishad more or less to a standstill. Otherwise, out of the several volumes of "India's Indian History", at least three volumes would have been printed and published by this time—the first being on "Akbar" by as celebrated an Historian as Sir Jadu Nath Sarkar. It may still see the light of the day very soon.

But does it behove some of us to constitute "a new Indian History academy" and not wait till men like Babu Rajendra Prasad, the rector of the Parishad, and its general secretary are outside the prison-walls? Surely "History of India" can wait so long.

ANAND KAUSALYAYANA.

HOW TO USE INDIVIDUAL RATION CARDS

Following are excerpts from the speech broadcast by the Public Relations Officer (Rationing), Bombay, from the Bombay Station of the All-India Radio on Friday: From Sunday, November 7 begins the last week of the currency of the family ration cards. When you go to draw your rations for this week, take your individual ration cards with you and get them registered with your shop-keeper. The current family card should be surrendered to him and this will be sent for re-pulping. The new cards must be registered with your old shop-keeper and a change will be allowed subsequently for good reasons.

Registration of cards means that that the holder signs it and the shop-keeper after writing his name and address tears off the counter-foil and retains it.

Those who have not yet received their new cards may register them with their shop-keeper subsequently.

You will have observed that the individual cards will be valid for the next 48 weeks.

The proviso that the week's quota must be drawn during the particular week and that no balance can be carried over to the subsequent week remains. But while under the family card system you had to draw your week's ration on a fixed day. Under the new cards you can spread the purchases over the week by using the card of one member of the family on one day and that of another on a subsequent day and so on. Each adult card again can be used on two occasions during a ration week. An adult card as you know is for two units and you may, if you so desire, use one unit on one occasion and the other on another occasion. On one unit an adult gets 1/2 paylee of all the rationed food-grains and 6 oz. of sugar. If, however, you draw less than this one unit quota, the balance cannot be carried over to the second unit. In other words on each occasion the card will be treated as a one-unit card. A child's card, it follows can be used only once.

When you thus split your purchases on an adult card, a vertical line will be drawn in the square bearing the number of the week concerned on the first occasion and on the second occasion a horizontal line will be drawn making a sign of plus. This would denote that the week's quota has been drawn.

If you use both the units on one occasion only or less than two units but more than one unit, the square of the week will be crossed with two diagonal lines making a sign of multiplication. This means that no more ration can be drawn during that week.

As for the commodities, small crosses will be drawn in the squares against the commodities purchased. The squares against the commodities not purchased will be left blank and the ration-card holder should draw a circle over these after the week is over. This will help the authorities in preventing undrawn rations from going into the Black Market.

Please see that your shop-keeper crosses the squares correctly.

Insist upon a cash-memo from your retailer for each transaction in respect of your week's ration.

Release Congress Leaders And Form National Government

Sir H. P. Mody And N. N. Sarkar Appeal To Lord Wavell

CALCUTTA, Nov. 7.

Sir H. P. Mody and Mr. Nalini Ranjan Sarkar, former members of the Viceroy's Executive Council in a statement jointly issued today say that Lord Wavell has begun well.

The following is the full text of the statement:—

"At the Pilgrims' Luncheon in London a little while ago, Lord Wavell said he fully realised "the great weight of opinion both here and in India in favour of solving as early as possible the present deadlock.' He referred to the difficulties in the way, but he had vision none the less of 'the great possibilities in front of India if she can only be induced to take the right road.' How does His Excellency propose to induce India to take the right road? By keeping the leaders of the largest political party in the country indefinitely behind prison bars? The continuance of such a policy at the most decisive stage of the war must obviously require strong justification, and the demand for a public recantation by the Congress leaders of the movement which they are charged with having fostered—which, incidentally, would amount in effect to their convicting themselves out of their own mouths—cannot possibly provide such a justification.

"MOVEMENT DEAD"

"The movement is dead, and no one believes that the release of the Congress leaders would mean a revival or would create conditions which would once again be a threat to public peace.

The real reason, and it has to be frankly stated, would appear to be that Governmnet have a pleasant, comfortable feeling that all is well, that men and materials are readily forthcoming for the efficient prosecution of the war, and that it would be a mistake, therefore, to do anything which might jeopardise such a condition of things

"The general opinion in the country, however, is that as a preventive measure detention can no longer be justified, and that Government have only to thank themselves if their action lends itself to the interpretation that in effect it is punitive

From any point of view, the position of Government seems to be untenable and they will only be rendering the chance of an ultimate settlement more difficult if they persist in the attitude that "for the duration of the war no other policy is possible. Incidentally it passes one's comprehension how any approach to a solution of the deadlock is possible, if one of the main contending parties is prevented from taking stock of the situation and denied an opportunity of reconsidering it.

RELEASE LEADERS

It stands to reason, therefore, that in the forefront of any action which may be taken to end the deadlock must be the release of the Congress leaders.

Assuming that is done, the next step should be for the Viceroy publicly to offer to form a National Government on the basis of principles of the Cripps offer.

From our own experience, we have no doubt the Viceroy's veto notwithstanding—that if such a Government were formed, the administration of the country would be effectively in their hands. We attach a great deal of importance to a political set-up of this character. It is only by getting together in the prosecution of the common tasks of Government that the suspicions and bitterness, which are such a marked characteristic of our present political life, will have a chance of being blotted out.

"DIVIDE & RULE" WON'T DO

"In this connection, we must emphasise that it does not help the British Cabinet to keep on parading the acute differences that to-day divide the people of India as a reason for a policy of inaction. Upto a point, it was logical to maintain the view that the destinies of India must be shaped by her own people. A stage has, however, been reached when fundamental differences of outlook threaten to make the problem insoluble, and something more than a negative approach is called for from those to whom are committed the fortunes of this country. Government must surely have a positive policy. How often, in the past, have they not sheltered themselves behind their responsibilities as a Government and ignored the considered view point of the leaders of all parties and communities? They must do away, therefore, with their obsession about the political differences of the moment, and must assume the role of a Government whose business it should be to pursue their declared objective time and again, and bring about its consummation.

"We have suggested a public approach to political opinion in the country, as to the method of individual negotiations has led nowhere all these years. An open invitation to Indian leaders to frame proposals for a Provisional Government would have many advantages. It would be both a challenge and an invitation to India as a whole to assume the reins of power at one of the turning points of history, and it might well be that such a procedure might evoke what might be regarded as a national verdict.

SINGLE OPPORTUNITY

"There is no time to lose. The sands are fast running out, and when the statesmen of leading countries are gathered together at the peace table to create a better world it would be nothing short of a tragedy if this country were found to be still divided and unable to speak through the mouths of its chosen leaders. India is playing a notable part in the fight for freedom, and no less an authority than Lord Wavell had very recently paid a striking tribute to the magnitude of her contribution to the common cause and we repeat, it would be a tragedy if she were, for any reason, prevented from contributing her proper share to the building up of a new order

"The issue of the war is no longer in doubt, and it would be inexcusable complacency, if not worse, if the Government, either in England or here, were to fix their gaze exclusively on the conclusion of hostilities as the starting point of a new policy in this country. All over the world the leaders of the people, as well as Governments, are concentrating on the enormous problems which will present themselves for solution at the end of the war, and it is our conviction that in this most constructive period India will find herself woefully left behind in the leadership of ideas and of action, which, in common with her Allies, is her due. If such a call to our leaders, as we have suggested, were to come, they can only ignore it at the sacrifice of India's vital interests.—A. P.

BOMBAY MUSLIM LEAGUE ELECTIONS

Mr. Chundrigar Re-elected President

BOMBAY, Nov. 7.

At the annual general meeting of the Bombay Provincial Muslim League held, to-day, Mr. I. I. Chundrigar was unanimously re-elected President of the Provincial League for the ensuing year.

Mr. Aziz Gafur Kazi was re-elected Hon. Joint Secretary, and Mr. Mohamed Umar Kokil as Hon. Joint Secretary, Mr. Mahomedally Chaiwala and Haji Noormahomed Ahmed as Hon. Treasurers.

Besides these office-bearers, 25 members including Mr. M. A. Jinnah were elected to the Working Committee.

The meeting elected 23 members to the Council of the All-India Muslim League and empowered the President to nominate seven more representatives. —A. P.

Krishnamurti On "Crisis Of Civilisation And India's Role"

BOMBAY, Saturday.

"A nation is a spiritual principle. Factors of race, religion, geography and community of interests are objective criteria. This spiritual principle is formed by two things; one lies in the past i.e. the possession of a rich heritage of memories and the other lies in the future i.e., the will to live together Therefore the existence of a nation is a daily plebiscite. Pakistan will remain a political abstraction because the factor of integration is sadly absent in the Muslim majority areas", declared Mr. Y. G. Krishnamurti in the course of his lecture on 'Crisis of Civilization and India's Role" at the Asthika Samaj Hall this evening held under the auspices of Bombay All-Malayalee Conference.

He added "Swaraj is a universal human value to be held in common by all. It is a duty toward mankind and not a right to be used against our neighbours. Sun-Yat-Sen laid the postulate that in the case of wronged races notional independence should precede cosmopolitanism. Therefore only a free and unfragmented India can give comfort to a groaning world."

"Our aspirations are set not on the acquisition of either Dominion Status or Stature but absolute independence and co-equality. This implies absence of foreign control. As an earnest of her sincerity Britain should forthwith declare India free by passing an Act similar to the one which terminated her sovereignty over the United States of America."

In conclusion he said "The influence of a Churchill or a Roosevelt, a Stalin or a Hitler might vanish like straw hats before the rising tide of a democratic vote or party risings But the influence of the political Seer Gandhi will remain till the shadow of man moves on this planet. Like Budha he is "a healer" and his politics is a part of our culture."

CALCUTTA, Nov. 7: At the annual general meeting of the Bengal Provincial Muslim League Maulana Akram Khan, M.L.C. was elected President and Mr. Abdul Hashem, M.L.A. Secretary.—United Press.

RESTRICTIONS ON DR. GOPICHAND

LAHORE, Nov. 7.—Dr. Gopichand Bhargava, former leader of the Punjab Assembly Congress Party, was released to-day from the Lahore Central Jail on three months' parole on medical grounds. Immediately after his release he was served with an order under D.I.R. 26 confining his movements within the municipal limits of Hissar to which place he belongs. Dr. Gopichand has, however, been allowed to stay in Lahore for three days to take expert medical advice. It is understood that Sir Manohar Lal, Minister of Finance and Jails, and Sardar Baldev Singh, Development Minister, visited the Lahore Central Jail yesterday and saw Dr. Gopichand. The orders for his release on three months' parole were passed immediately afterwards by the Punjab Government.—A.P.

TÊTE-A-TÊTE

WITHOUT COMMENT—

SIMLA, November 5: At a meeting held just prior to her departure from Simla Lady Glancy read a farewell message from Lady Linlithgow sending her best wishes for the Women's Voluntary Service. One could visualise, said Lady Linlithgow, that after the war every woman of every nation would join some voluntary service and together they would form one of the irresistible forces for the building of a new world—a world formed on fellowship and love between nations.

—A. P. I.

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The incorrigible Senator Wheeler is reported to have declared that America wanted no foreign policy whatever if it meant commercial domination by Britain.

Senator Wheeler is as usual unfair to Britain. The British want nothing of the kind suggested by him. They are too realistic for that.

All that they want is domination jointly by Britain and America.

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The Twenty-Sixth Anniversary of the Soviet Revolution has been enthusiastically greeted all over the world by all the great statesmen of the United Nations.

The messages may or may not have tickled Comrade Stalin into a reminiscent grin. But there is certainly no truth in the Junior Colleague's suggestion that while cabling kudos to the Russian leader, Mr. Winston Churchill sent some flowers unto himself in remembrance of Archangel.

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Nor, of course, has the London "Times" published any review of special despatches from "Our Riga Correspondent."

And so on and so forth.

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The "New York Times" says of "our ally" on the eastern front that it is "a people who work and fight magnificently and not a corrupt and inept Government of the Romanoffs."

Forgotten are all—but Stalin while accepting the just tributes to himself and his people should also thank Hitler for making them possible.

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"The King (Victor Emmanuel) was driving through Naples when cries demanding his abdication were ringing up and down the streets."

—Reuter.

The Anglo-American principals of the Allied Commander-in-Chief, General Eisenhower should inform him that they are profoundly shocked by this traitorous exhibition in an Allied held town.

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But even a worse outrage was perpetrated at Naples on that day. This outburst arose out of an anti-King demonstration held by the Rector and students of the Naples University and —you can hardly imagine it, but it is the fact—loud speakers for the demonstration were actually provided by the Fifth Army.

This is such a serious and revolutionary crime against democracy and the United Nations that, at the very least General Mark Clark should immediately be court-martialled.

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M.P.'s DEMAND INQUIRY INTO FOOD BUNGLE, says a headline.

They may probably get it but certainly not the terms of reference which the Bungle deserves.

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"My wife went through my pockets last night."

"What did she find?"

"What all explorers find material for a lecture."

How to eat Bajri

—SOME RECIPES—

Bajri is eaten in several ways. A few of the recipes are given below. Bajri may admit of other recipes by itself or in combination with other articles. Ingenious housewives may find it interesting to experiment and try out various other preparations.



CHAPATI

This is a well-known and common preparation. A little salt may be added for taste after the flour is mixed with warm water.



DHAPATA

This is chapati made from a mixture of bajri, rice and gram flour in equal proportion.



KHICHDI

Bajri should be lightly ground and the flour mixed with pulses (particularly moong) and then boiled together. Salt is added for taste.



LADOOS

Bajri is lightly ground, mixed with water and boiled. After cooling the dough is made up into small balls.



CHUPMA

Bajri chapati is broken into small pieces, mixed with ghee and gur and rolled into balls.



PARCHIRA

Bajri is thrown into a pan containing hot sand and stirred. When the grains begin to crackle and swell, the contents are run off and parched bajri is separated by sieving.



FREE DEMONSTRATIONS

Free demonstrations of the above ricipes as well as some others will be given to housewives at the following places:—

1) B. Tambe Ltd., Hamam St., Fort, 4 P.M. to 6-30 P.M.
2) 'CONA', Near Majestic Cinema, Girgaum, 11-30 A.M. to 3 P.M.

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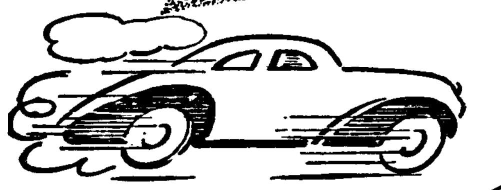
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Rotate tyres including spare, every 2500 miles.

Check air pressure, at least every week.

Check wheel alignment and brakes every 2500 miles.

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Drive slower and your tyres will go farther !

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CITY AND SUBURBS

TO-DAY

Hindu: Kartak Shud 11, 2000
Muslim: Jilkad 9, 1362
Parsi: Khordad 5, 1313
Sunrise: 7-44 a.m., Sunset: 7-1 p.m.
Hightide: 8-48, 21-34, Lowtide 2-28, 15-18
Corporation meeting 2 p.m. (B.T.)

Domestic Occurrence

UTHAMNA

Mr. CHANDULAL CHHOTALAL JALUNDHWALA, husband of Bhikhubai C. Jalundhwala, J.P., at Santa Cruz, on 6th November 1943, at 10-30 p.m. at the age of 45. Deeply mourned by widow, cousin and a wide circle of relations and friends. Uthamna at Ambalal Bhuvan, Tilak Road, Santa Cruz on 8th November at 6 p.m. (N. S. T.).

To-day's Engagements

FREEDOM GROUP: A meeting of Freedom Group, will be held today at 6 p.m. in the rooms of the Indian Merchants' Chamber, when Mr. M. A. Jadwat, representative of the South African Indian Congress, will speak on the South African question.

MAZDAZNAN: Talks on "Scientific Subjects", by various speakers, at Mazdaznan Hall opposite Churchgate Station, to-day (Monday) at 6-15 p.m.

COMPETITION FOR AMATEUR MUSICIANS: The Indian Music Circles (Bombay North) will hold an amateur (vocal) music enthusiasts' competition during the course of the next two months. There will be two sections—one for women and the other for men. Medals will be awarded to the first two winners in each section. The panel of judges will consist of mostly professionals. The competition is open to the public and entries will close on the 15th December. Enquiries may be made at the Circle's office at Manu Mahal, King's Circle.

DONATION TO KHAR EDUCATION SOCIETY: Messrs Maganlal Maneklal and Co., the well-known firm of bullion merchants of Bombay have donated the munificent sum of Rs. 40,000 to the Khar Education Society, Khar, for the purchase of a plot of land and construction of a building for its School, the Sharada Mandir. The name of the donors will now be permanently associated with the Sharada Mandir. Further Rs. 10,000 have been donated to the Society under the Will of the late Seth Shantidas Khetsi who was for sometime the President of the Society.

PRAYER FOR MEHERALLY'S HEALTH: Prayer meetings for the health and safety of Sjt. Yusuf Meherally will be held under the auspices of Fort Students Charka Sangha daily at 6-30 p.m. commencing from to-day (Monday).

HINDUSTAN STORES

Well-known furniture merchants, Messrs. Jayanand Khira have extended their activities, and have opened a Swadeshi Cloth Show Room, yesterday, known as Hindustan Stores, at Fulchand Nivas, Sea Face, Chowpatty. Entire Swadeshi Cloth viz., furnishing fabrics to match net curtains, suitings, shirtings, twills, bed sheets, towels, napkins and various kinds of cloth are stored therein.

SANGLI, Nov. 7.—The Marathi Literary Conference which commenced its session on November 5 adopted a resolution unanimously, requesting the Government of Bombay to mention in the Maharashtra University Act itself that Marathi should be the medium of instruction everywhere and that the University should necessarily be denominated as Maharashtra University.—United Press.

PHADKAR AND JADHAV SAVE THEIR TEAM

Exciting Cricket Match Between C.C.I. And Poona Players

An exciting and thrilling finish was witnessed in a one and a half day match between the Cricket Club of India and the Maharashtra Cricket Association played at the Brabourne Stadium during the week-end. The visitors coming from Poona and led by Prof. Deodhar put up a tough fight resulting in their ultimate victory.

C.C.I. OUT FOR 267

The Cricket Club who were the first to bat on Saturday put up 176 for six wickets at the close of the day's game. This included a sparkling 56 by Lawyer and an unbeaten 53 by M. D. Merchant.

On the resumption of the game on Sunday M.I. Merchant fell an unfortunate victim to run out before he could reach his 60. K. R. Meherhomji the Parsi wicket-keeper came however to the rescue of his team and with his flashing strokes all round the wickets collected a valuable 48 which included nine fours. The C.C.I. were all out for 267.

VISITORS' PLAY

K. V. Bhandarkar and V. M. Pandit gave an excellent start to the visitors, each contributing 60 and 34 respectively. Vijay Merchant, the Captain of the home team was responsible for capturing both the wickets. By 4 o'clock in the afternoon the visitors had reached their second century with still half their side in. Then suddenly, the fortunes of the game changed, and with only 19 runs added to the total the Maharashtrian Cricket Association lost three more wickets within half an hour.

PHADKAR AND JADHAzV

The match at this stage became exciting and hopes of victory for the home team revived. However D. G. Phadkar and K. M. Jadhav stood by their team. They associated themselves into a magnificent nineth wicket partnership of 104 which put their team ahead by 37 runs. Phadkar who was more aggressive of the two finished his 50 a little after "equal up" was declared. Jadhav soon followed up and was not out with 69 to his credit when the game closed for the day.

City Medicos Warn Against Food Crisis

A resolution expressing the fear of the medical profession that unless effective steps were urgently taken, the serious food situation existing in Bengal was likely to spread to other deficit provinces in India, was passed by a large majority at a meeting of the city Medicos held at the Blavatsky Lodge on Thursday night. Dr. R. N. Cooper of the Charak Clinic presided.

Dr. Cooper in the course of his remarks observed that the food problem of the country had already assumed serious proportions He however, believed that further deterioration would be prevented by long and short term measures.

A memorandum prepared by a committee of several doctors and submitting several recommendations to solve the problem was resolved to be sent to the authorities concerned.

Mr. Nasserwanji H. Patel Dead

We regret to announce the death of Mr. Nasserwanji Hirjibhai Patel, Hon. Secretary of the Dnyan Prasarak Mandali, which took place on Friday evening, in Bombay, at the ripe age of 93. Mr. Patel was an educationist of repute, who did yeoman's service in the cause of education in the latter half of the last century. He was also a journalist, having edited the "Noor-e-Ilm" for several years. After his retirement he devoted himself mainly for the well-being of the general public, as a social worker. For about six decades he was working as Hon. Secretary of the old institution, the Dnyan Prasarak Mandali, Bombay, which constitutes a record.

CORPORATAION CANDIDATES FOR SENATE

Messrs. Motichand Kapadia, Mahomed Omer Ibrahim Patel, Dr. Gulam Rasul, Ahmedmiya Sheikh and Dr. Mrs. Malini Sukthankar have been nominated as Corporation candidates for election to the Senate of the Bombay University on Monday, (to-day).

NEW YORK COTTON
NEW YORK, Nov. 6.
To-day's price
December 19.60, January 19.55, March 19.39, Middling spot 20.31.
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December 19.78, January 19.71, March 19.59, Middling spot 19.53.

The Half-Column By "Dim"

Here are three extracts from "George Washington" by W. M. Thayer which an American sends me. They tell us how "hartals" and "fasting" have been observed "during the early days of the formation of our American Republic on occasions of stress and anxiety."

Page 256:

"......the day on which the Stamp Act went into operation, November 1st, 1765, was observed throughout the colonies as *a day of fasting* and prayer ......*Business was suspended*, and halls and churches were opened for prayer and addrsses."

Page 260:

"The Virginia Assembly was in session when the Boston Port Bill took effect, and the members voted to make the *day one of fasting*. They voted also at that session to call a Congress of the Colonies. Other Legislatures adopted a like measure, and the first American Congress convened in Philadelphia on the 5th of September, 1774."

Page 282:

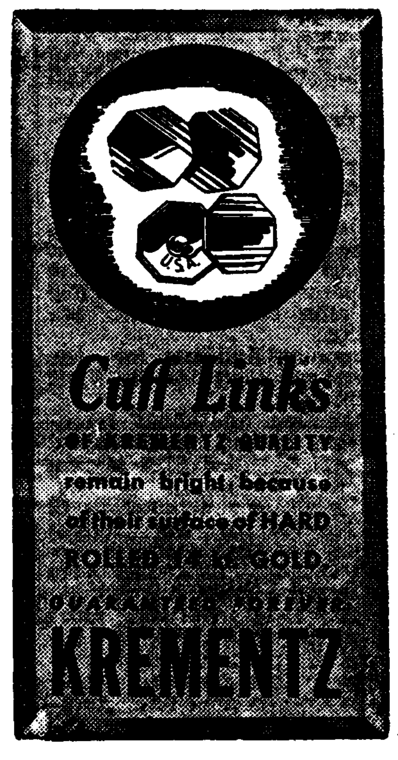
"Early in the siege of Boston, when he felt that "if success ever crowns the American cause, it will be because an All-wise Providence controls the affairs of men", Washington advised the appointment of *a day of fasting* and prayer, to intercede for the blessing of God upon the little army at Cambridge, Congress appointed the day, and the commander-in-chief required its observance throughout the army. Religious services were held, *all business suspended*, and the day was made as quiet and religious as Sunday."

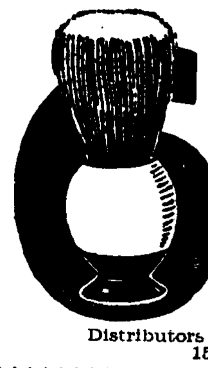
Governor's Poppy Day Appeal

His Excellency the Governor of Bombay (Sir John Colville) has issued the following Poppy Day Appeal:

"On the 11th of November a quarter of a century will have passed since the signing of the armistice which ended the war of 1914-18. On that day, for the last 25 years, we have reverently acknowledged our debt to those who then fell fighting for us. This year again we will remember, too, the soldiers, sailors and airmen who have made the supreme sacrifice in this war. The symbol of our desire to help the dependants of those who have laid down their lives for us, and all ex-service men, both Indian and British, who need assistance, is the Flanders Poppy, and I appeal to the people of Bombay for the most warm-hearted support for Poppy Day, 1943.

"The proceeds of all sales of Poppies, and of all contributions in response to the Poppy Day Appeal will be divided equally between Indian and British ex-service men. The last year has been one of triumph for the arms of the United Nations. Let us show our gratitude to the fighing men who have won the decisive battles of these twelve months by giving generously on Poppy Day, 1943."





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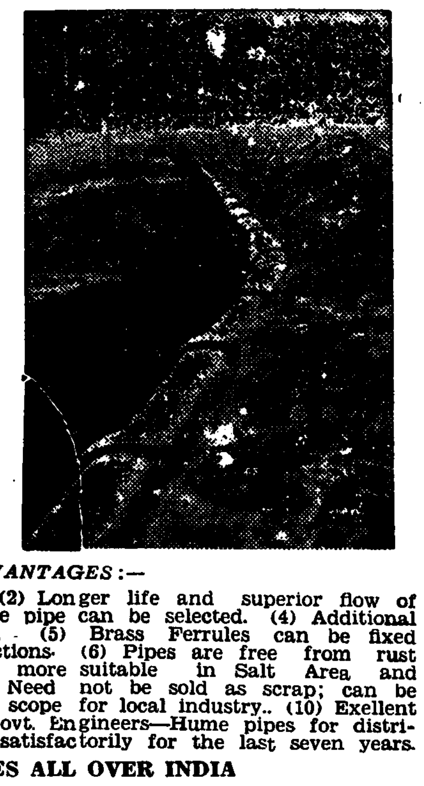
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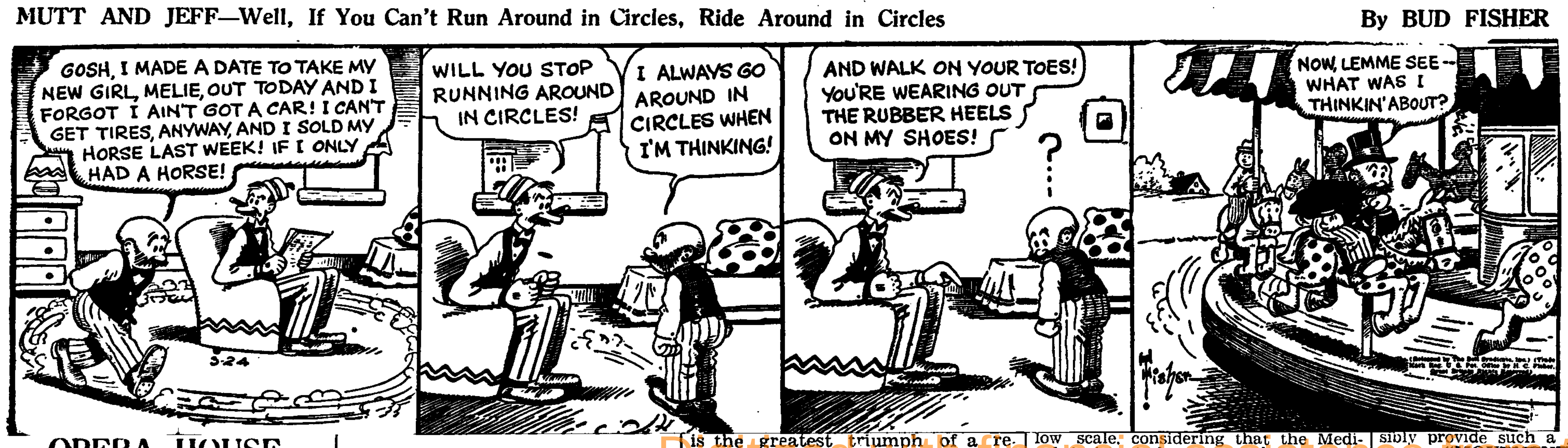
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Wanted—Persons desirous of earning Rs. 10 to Rs. 30 per day, should write for free particulars, samples can also be sent if desired. Apply c o Post Box 282, Lahore. (6726)

Wanted influential and experienced Canvasser in Mill Gin Stores. Apply Box No. 3163, "Bombay Chronicle."

Wanted for Overseas—Mussalman tally clerks able to read, write and speak English, not more than forty years of age. Apply with copies of testimonials stating age to Post Box 919, Bombay. (6711)

Wanted 1 Graduate with Languages, 1 B. Sc. with Physics and Chemistry. Permanent Posts. Provident Fund. Liberal Salary. Apply personally Principal, Master's Tutorial H. School, Kennedy Bridge, Gowalia Tank, Bombay. between 10 and 12. 3158

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Wanted graduate or under-graduate experienced teachers competent to teach English, Marathi, Mathematics, History and Geography to Matriculation and other High School classes. Apply immediately—Superintendent, Orient High School, Dadar, Bombay. (6708)

62. TO BE LET

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For Fitting, Forging, Welding, Machining, Die-making or any mechanical job. Apply: Hindustan Engineering, Camera House, Girgaum, Bombay. Phone: 26388. (3161)

632. MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

For Sale: Complete Ginning Factory with attached lands and buildings at Kudchi, on M. & S. M. Railway near Miraj, in excellent condition. Good opportunity for investors. (2) Cotton Pressing Factory with lands and buildings at Karmala. Both these properties can be inspected and best offers are invited from the intending buyers. Apply in writing to Messrs. Ambubhai and Diwanji, Solicitors, Lentin Chambers, Dalal Street, Bombay. (3134)

Lease Lend Radios for suburbs. See: C. H. Jhatakia, Mistry Cottage 11th Road, Santa-Cruz, East. (3162)

PUBLIC NOTICE

M. & S. M. RY.—TENDER

I. The Chief Engineer invites tender for the Maintenance of the following sections on the Metre Gauge:—

(a) From Londa to Portuguese Frontier (Mile 51.04).
and
(b) From Portuguese Frontier to Mormugao Harbour on the Portuguese territory including the Harbour.

II. Tender should be submitted in the prescribed form which can be obtained from the Chief Engineer's Office, Park Town, Madras, on payment of Rs. 10|- which is not refundable and must be submitted so as to reach his Office not later than 12 noon on 16-12-1943. Any tender not in the prescribed form will not be considered. 6702

BOMBAY PORT TRUST

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Controller of Stores Bombay Port Trust, at his office at Clarke Bunder, Mazagon, Bombay No. 10. up to 1 P.M. (S.T.) on MONDAY, the 15th November, 1943, for the supply of Drugs and Medical Requisites.

"Tender forms giving full particulars can be obtained from the Office of the Controller of Stores free of charge."

R. C. MASTER,
Controller of Stores.
Mazagon, Bombay, 10.
9th October 1943. (6467)

NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of General Manager, Ammunition Factory Co-operative Stores, Kirkee. Prospects of permanent appointment with Provident Fund, Leave with pay, Overtime etc. Salary Rs. 250|- to Rs. 350|-. Knowledge of Marathi essential. Fidelity Bond or suitable security value Rs. 5 000|- required. Address with full particulars of experience to the Chairman, Ammunition Factory Co-operative Stores, Kirkee, before 20-[illegible]-1943. (6724)

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NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for temporary posts of (a) Upper Division clerk, and (b) Lower Division clerks in the scales of Rs. 80-60-5-150 E.B.-10-200 and Rs. 50-3-95, respectively, plus dearness allowance of Rs. 14|- p. m. Applications should be submitted with full particulars including province of domicile and with copies of certificates and testimonials so as to reach the Export Trade Controller, New Custom House, Bombay, on or before 22ND NOVEMBER, 1943.

2. Applicants for (a) must be graduates of a recognised University and for (b) must have passed Matriculation or any other equivalent examination. Preference will be given to those who know typewriting.

3. Envelopes should be distinctly marked as "APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT." (6710)

THE STEEL CORPORATION OF BENGAL, LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Directors have authorised the half-yearly payment of dividend due on the 5% Cumulative Preference Shares of the Corporation for the half-year ended 30th November, 1943.

The Share Transfer Books for the Preference Shares of the Corporation will remain closed from the 16th November to 30th November, 1943 both days inclusive. Payment will be made only to those Members or their Mandatees whose names appear on the Registers of the Corporation on the 15th November, 1943.

No application for Warrants will be necessary. Claims on behalf of holders of shares held on blank transfers will not be entertained.

By Order of the Board,
BURN & CO.,
Managing Agents.
12, Mission Row, Calcutta.
The 8th November, 1943. (6729)

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, BENGAL.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED from male candidates to fill two posts of Professor of Chemistry for Government Colleges in Bengal. One post is reserved for a member of the Scheduled Castes and the other for a non-Muslim other than a member of the Scheduled Castes. Pay—150-700. Age—below 35. Qualifications—a First Class Master's degree in Chemistry with at least 5 years' teaching experience or a good Honours degree of an English University with research qualifications. Full details may be obtained from the Secretary, Public Service Commission, Bengal, Darjeeling, personally or ON SENDING AN ADDRESSED ENVELOPE WITH A NINE PIES STAMP. Last date for receipt of applications on prescribed form, together with treasury receipt for Rs. 5, 27th November, 1943. (6713)

NOTICE.
THE CENTURY SPG. & MFG. CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that one Share Certificate No. 13360 for share No. 6204 of the abovementioned Company standing in the name of C. C. Marfatia together with one blank Transfer Deed signed by the said C. C. Marfatia have been lost or misplaced and the undersigned has applied to the Company to issue a duplicate share certificate. Any person having any claim on the said share should notify to and lodge such claim with the Company at its registered office, Queens Mansion, Prescott Road, Bombay, within one month from this date; otherwise the company will proceed to issue a duplicate share certificate.

C. C. MARFATIA.
Dated 6th Nov. 1943. (6706)

NOTICE.
THE E. D. SASSOON UNITED MILLS, LTD.

Partly paid share certificate No. 3236 of the above mentioned Company for 110 shares Nos. 2049227|2049276, 2816647|2816696, and 3585709|3585718, standing in the name of the late Mr. Abdulkadar Tyebji Godiwalla has been lost and the undersigned have applied to the Company for issue of duplicate of the said share certificate.

Any person having any objection to the E. D. Sassoon United Mills Ltd., issuing duplicate of the said share certificate should lodge such objection with the company at its registered Office at E. D. Sassoon Building, Dougall Road, Ballard Estate, Bombay within one month from this date; Otherwise the company will proceed to issue the duplicate share certificate.

(Sd.) SUKANBAI HASANALI,
(Sd.) HASANBHOY ABDULKADAR,
(Sd.) NOMANBHOY ABDULKADAR.
Dated 5-11-1943. (6704).

CORRECTION.

In the advertisement of sale of property at Banganga Road, Walkeshwar, published in the "Bombay Chronicle' of 22nd Ultimo over our signature the Cadastral Survey Number is incorrectly stated to be 340 of Malabar and Cumballa Hill Division. The Correct Cadastral Survey Number of the property is 1|88 of Malabar and Cumballa Hill Division.

GHULAMALI NOORANI, & CO.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.
36, Tamarind Lane, Bombay. (6719)

PUBLIC NOTICES

INDIA OIL PLASTICS, LIMITED.

15, Clive Street, CALCUTTA.

The list for Preference Shares in above issue is CLOSED owing to oversubscription.

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NOTICE.

B.P.T. Warrant No. 1938 of 26-6-41 for 1 one case artsilk P. goods KB|PB A2349 has been LOST.

POHOOMULL BROS. (INDIA).
New Silk Bazar, BOMBAY 2. (3135)

TENDER NOTICE.

THE DIRECTOR of Munitions Production, Purchase Branch, Phoenix Building, Ballard Estate, Bombay invites tenders for Waterproof Paper and Emery Cloth and Paper.

Tender No. MB|P4|9934.

Price of Tender Forms is Rs. 3|- per set and is neither refundable nor transferable. Payment should be made in cash or by Money Order only to the Director of Munitions Production (Purchase Branch) Bombay quoting Tender Number and remitter's full address on the coupon in the case of Money Order.

Tenders will be received upto 11 A. M. on 25-11-1943 and opened at 12 Noon on 25-11-1943. (6720)

THE STONEWARE PIPES (MADRAS) LTD.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FOURTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of The Stoneware Pipes (Madras) Ltd. will be held at 'Construction House', Ballard Estate, Bombay, on WEDNESDAY, the 24th November, 1943, at 3 P. M. (S. T.) for the purpose of transacting the following business:—

1. To receive and adopt Directors' Report and Audited Statement of Accounts for the period ended 31st March, 1943.
2. To elect Directors who retire under the provisions of the Articles of Association of the Company but who are eligible and offer themselves for re-election.
3. To appoint Auditors for the current year and to fix their remuneration.
4. To sanction additional remuneration to the auditors for the period ended 31st March, 1943.

Notice is also given pursuant to Section 144 (6) of the Indian Companies Act that a Notice, dated 13th August, 1943, has been received by the Company from a shareholder that he will move the following resolution at the above meeting of the Company:—

"Resolved that Messrs. K. S. Aiyer & Co., be appointed Auditors of the Company for the current financial year on a remuneration of Rs. 300|- (Rupees Three hundred only)."

Dated the 4th day of November, 1943.

By Order of the Board,
WALCHAND & COMPANY, LTD.,
Managing Agents.
RATANCHAND HIRACHAND,
Director
Registered Office,
Construction House,
Ballard Estate, Bombay. 6721

THE INDIAN CO-OPERATIVE NAVIGATION & TR. CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTY-FIFTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Indian Co-operative Nav. and Trading Company, Ltd., will be held on MONDAY, the 6th December, 1943, at 4 P. M. (N.S.T.) at the Registered Office of the Company, "Scindia House", Dougall Road, Ballard Estate, Bombay, to transact the following business:—

1. To elect Directors in place of Mr. D. A. Tulzapurkar, Mr. S. V. Naik and Mr. S. A. Sabnis, who retire by rotation, but being eligible offer themselves for re-election, under Article 89 of the Articles of Association.
2. To elect Auditors for the ensuing year and to fix their remuneration.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 24th November, 1943, to the 14th December, 1943, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
For The Indian Co-operative Nav. & Tr. Co., Ltd.
For The National Shipping Agency, Ltd.
SHANTIKUMAR N. MORARJEE,
Secretary,
Managing Agents.

"Scindia House"
Dougall Road, Ballard Estate, Bombay.
4th November, 1943.

Shareholders are requested to kindly notify any change of address. (6719)

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, BENGAL.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED from male candidates to fill a post of District Fishery Officer under the Director of Fisheries, Bengal. Pay—125—250. Age—below 40. Qualifications (a) a first or second class M.Sc., degree in Zoology or (b) a B.Sc., degree with Honours in Zoology. Full details may be obtained from the Secretary, Public Service Commission, Bengal, Darjeeling, personally or ON SENDING AN ADDRESSED ENVELOPE WITH A NINE PIES STAMP. Last date for receipt of applications on prescribed form, together with treasury receipt for Rs. 5, 3rd December, 1943. (6712)

NOTICE

APPLICATIONS from candidates of either sex are invited for the undermentioned temporary posts which may last for the duration of the war:—

(1) 1 OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT: Scale Rs. 275-20-375. Preference will be given to those who have at least high second class honours in a degree of a recognised University and in addition have practical experience or organisation, procedure and control of staff in an Office of Government for a period of ten years.

(2) TECHNICAL ASSISTANTS:—
(a) Grade I, Scale Rs. 250-20-350.
(b) Grade II, Scale Rs. 150-10-200.
Previous experience in the textile industries or with textile supplying firms and|or knowledge of transport of cotton is essential.

(3) PERSONAL ASSISTANTS: Scale Rs. 150-10-300-12½-400. Candidates should have at least 5 years' Office experience either in a Government Department or in a large commercial firm and in addition should possess a minimum speed in Shorthand of 140 words per minute and 50 words per minute in typewriting. Candidates with a knowledge of the Cotton Textiles trade will be preferred.

(4) SENIOR CLERKS: Scale Rs. 80-5-150-10-200. Candidates for these posts should be Graduates (preferably in Commerce) and should have at least three years' clerical experience in a Government Office and|or a well-organised commercial firm.

(5) TYPISTS: Scale Rs. 50-10-60-2-80. Applicants should be at least Matriculates and should be able to type accurately at a minimum speed of 40 words per minute. A higher initial salary in the grade may be granted to candidates according to proficiency shown at a test in typewriting.

2. Applications should be submitted in own handwriting on the prescribed forms available and should reach the Assistant Secretary (Administration) Office of the Textile Commissioner, Shahibag House, Wittet Road, Ballard Estate, Bombay by the 15th November, 1943.

3. Personal interviews will not be granted and canvassing will be a disqualification. 6718

RESERVE BANK OF INDIA
CLERICAL POSTS.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for enlistment in the waiting list for clerical posts in the Bombay Office of the Reserve Bank of India.

Applicants should be of sound physique over the age of 18 but under the age of 22 (except in the case of candidates with higher educational qualifications, such as graduates, in which case the age limit may be extended to 25 years), and must have passed the matriculation or an equivalent examination.

Candidates must submit their applications with copies of, at least, two testimonials to the Manager, Reserve Bank of India, Post Box No. 901, Bombay, stating in the following order: Name in full; address; age; date of birth; where born; religion or caste; father's name; father's occupation; educational qualifications; schools, colleges, universities attended; previous experience, if any; knowledge of shorthand and typewriting.

Applications must also be in the candidate's own handwriting and reach the Bank on or before the 22nd November 1943.

Applications will not be acknowledged unless a fully stamped addressed envelope is enclosed.

No interviews will be granted to candidates except those who are specially called nor will the Bank enter into correspondence with unsuccessful candidates. (6723)

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ARVINDLAL BHAIDAS and UPENDRALAL BHAIDAS, both of Bombay Hindu Inhabitants have agreed to sell to our client the property hereinafter mentioned.

All persons having any claim against or to the said property by way of mortgage, gift, sale trust, possession, inheritance, lease, lien, easement, or otherwise, howsoever, are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at 107, Esplanade Road, Fort, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to any such claim or demand as the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

SCHEDULE

ALL that piece or parcel of Leasehold land or ground together with the messuage or buildings standing thereon known as "Arvind House", situate at New Charni Road and Parekh Street, admeasuring 825 square yards or thereabouts, situate on and being plot No. 33-A of the Sandhurst Road (West) Estate of the Bombay Municipality in the City Island and Sub-Registration District of Bombay bounded, on the East by New Charni Road, on the South by plot No. 35 of the said Estate, on the West by plot No. 33-B of the said Estate leased to Bai Sunderabai, widow of Hansraj Pragji and Ors. and on the North by Parekh Street which piece of land forms portion of land bearing New Survey No. 7395 and Cadastral Survey No. 1289 of Girgaum Division and are assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under D Ward No. 1786 (4) Street Nos. 92 and 98.

Dated this 6th day of November, 1943.

RUSTAMJI & GINWALA,
Purchaser's Attorneys. 6728

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that HAJI ESMAIL HAJI MAHOMED, his wife ZULEKHABAI, USMAN HAJI MAHOMED and ABDUL KARIM HAJI AHMED, of Bombay, Trustees of the Deed of Wakf, dated 24-2-1943, have contracted to sell the following property to our clients free from all encumbrances.

ALL persons having any right, title, interest, claim or demand, whatsoever in, to or against the said property or any part thereof are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at 24-26, Dalal Street, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference thereto and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

Fazandari land and building at DeLisle Road, Bombay, admeasuring 211 square yards, bearing New Survey Nos. 1|3462 and 2|3461. Cadastral Survey No. 1815 of Byculla Division, 'E' Ward No. 7166 Street Nos. 668, 668A and 668B and bounded on the East by DeLisle Road, on the West by property of Raja Bahadur Shivlal Motilal, on the North by DeLisle Road Mosque and on the South by Sweeper's passage and beyond that by property of Khoja Ali Mahomed.

Dated the 8th day of November, 1943.

EBRAHIM & DADLA,
6723 Purchasers' Attorneys.

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MARIAMBIBI w|o Allimiya of Jalgaon ..... Decree-holder.
Vs.
ABDELLI HASANALLI BOHARI ..... Judgment-Debtor.

To the Defendant. Take notice that the Decree-holder in the Regular Civil Suit No. 78 of 1943 of this Court has filed the abovementioned Darkhast that the Court may execute a deed of sale, whereof a draft is filed in the Court of the House No. 163 situate at Jalgaon and that the 24th day of November 1943 is appointed for hearing of the said Darkhast and that you are at liberty to appear on the said day and to state in writing any objection to the said draft.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, this, 4th day of November 1943.

THOMRE S. D.,
Clerk of the Court.
N. M. Patil,
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(Seal) (6725)

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